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1. In the middle of May Nationalist pilots were loading surrender leaflets into planes at the Tsinan airfield and dropping them over central and south Shantung in the Changtien (118-04, 36-51) and Poshan (117-51, 36-32) areas and in the area north of the Yellow River.
2. The pilots who drop the leaflets indorse the contents, but they do not believe that any Communists will be induced to surrender.
3. One colored leaflet pictures a Nationalist soldier holding a Chinese national flag, and urges the Communists to cease their "class struggle", to lay down their arms, and to recognize "nationalization of troops". Another leaflet pleads against the sacrifice of lives because of "Mao Tse-tung's conspiracy" and calls on "our deceived brothers" to help save the country from a post-war crisis by "submitting to the Central Government". This leaflet was signed by the Second Pacification Area Headquarters.

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